

Scout Trails

Boy Scout Troop 219

Nineteen boys of Scout Troop 219 tested their packing skill and endurance with a five mile hike under full pack. On March 18 the boys and four leaders hiked from Circle X Ranch to Split Rock carrying personal bedrolls and provisions for two cook-out meals.

With camp set-up at a minimum the boys spent Saturday afternoon taking pictures and exploring the rock formations of the area, Balance Rock, Sleeping Indian, Boney Peak, and Split Rock. After Sunday services led by Chaplain Dan LaCoe the unit hiked back to Circle X for lunch and the trip home.

Boys participating were Dyrck Van Dusen, the Jr. Assistant Scoutmaster, and Scouts James Cholley, Larry Cholley, Bob Crees, Ed Ernst, Bill Hall, Hank Heeber, Ray Knapp, Richard Knapp, Dan LaCoe, Nick Lucatorta, Paul March, Ron Myers, Brett Nary, Quay Nary, Jess Salcido, Jr., Stan Sorensen, Steve Sorensen, Creige Wennstrom, and visitor Mike Salcido. Committeemen accompanying the Troop were Bill Nary, Raymond Knapp, Jess Salcido, and Richard Sorensen.

At regular Troop meeting March 22 awards for Sport Show ticket selling were made by Scoutmaster Clifford LaCoe. The special belt buckle went

to Dan LaCoe as high salesman of the Troop. Neckerchief slides were earned by Dan LaCoe, Jon Lindsay, and Paul Marsh. As a follow-up of the February Court of Honor Senior Patrol Leader Jon Lindsay received his 50th Anniversary patch.

Sponsored by Torrance Kiwanis Club, North Torrance Troop 219 meets at Lincoln School each Wednesday evening. Boys interested are invited to contact Scoutmaster LaCoe, Committee Chairman Keith J. Lindsay, or members of the Troop.

Cub Scout Pack 761C

Cub Pack 761C, under the able leadership of its new Cubmaster, Norm Henry, had one of its most prolific meetings in March. Six new Cubs were awarded their Bobcat pins;

Ronald Heaston, Larry Heaston, Francis Clough, John Weaver and John Englert were welcomed into the Pack with the usual cheer. Barry Bush, in addition to the Bobcat, was awarded his Bear badge.

Glen Sibley, Steve Keller, Jack Wilcox, Ronald Nordquist, Mark Ittner, Jimmie Seder, Mike Tobin, Donald Olsen, Stephen Yocum, Wayne Usui, Edward Dennis, Stanley Fujii, Richard Ray and John Beuyukian were awarded Gold and Silver Arrows.

BEAR BADGES were issued to Jeff Bartik, Kip Ralston, Paul Kramer, Robert Weberg and Jeffrey Kaelke, who also received a Gold Arrow. Other Bear awards were: Silver Arrow, Robert Weberg; Assistant Denner Stripe and Silver Arrow, Ronald Hansen; Gold Ar-

row, Randy Raulston. Billy Seder back-tracked a bit and picked up a Wolf badge, a Gold Arrow and a Silver Arrow in addition to a Silver Arrow as a Bear.

David McCutchen was awarded a Silver Arrow and a Webelo Patch; Gary Morgan, a Gold Arrow, and Lee Anderson, a Lion badge along with his two-year pin.

WEBELOS Bob Schwartz, John Hoste, Steve Lange, Gary Usui, Randy Fleming, Thomas Smith, Thomas Hibbard, Dennis Elliott and Don Miller were awarded numerous Gold and Silver Arrows, and year pins.

"Running of the Gauntlet" by Webelo graduates John Hoste, Gary Usui, Randy Fleming and Tommy Fleming provided a touch of humor. Ricky Denny's certificate was issued in absentia.

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7. Formation of area citizens advisory committees designed to assist the school board and also to keep the parents informed of school board actions.
8. Fair hearings for all personnel of the school district.

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1. Make a complete appraisal of the general spending policy of the school district in order to find areas in which savings could be effected.
2. Stop waste and waste potential in textbooks, supply purchases and fancy building frills.
3. No unlimited tax overrides.
4. Explore ways and means to "hold" the tax line, with the idea that more learning does not come from the appropriation of more money.
5. Promote greater use of school properties after hours.
6. Make a comparison study of the building programs of other cities of comparable school age population to determine if our district is "over-building."

TEACHERS AND EDUCATION

1. Teacher attraction thru: (a) adequate salaries; (b) a voice in the school program; (c) feeling of dedication and intellectual challenge in our community; and (d) teaching in major field.
2. Adhere to teaching fundamentals during school hours of reading, writing and arithmetic — with special emphasis on phonics and compositions.
3. De-emphasize the "frill" courses and non-academic diversions.
4. Stress objective teaching of American History with emphasis on our American heritage and moral principles (pledge of allegiance and national anthem).
5. Encourage discipline — physical, moral, mental, educational and social; instill courtesy, fair play and respect of authority.
6. Challenge not only the gifted/talented student, but challenge and motivate every average and below average student to greater academic achievement and maximum potential.
7. Conduct a test/evaluation of our system: (a) regents/college board examinations; (b) realistic, comparative grading system city and state-wide with appropriate checks and balances.
8. Reappraisal of the policy of automatic student promotion.
9. Homogeneous grouping of students.
10. Encourage and promote legislation to permit local selection of the best available textbooks.
11. Create scholarship and citizenship awards similar to athletic awards.
12. Complete examination of the curriculum.
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